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**RESPONSE TO OFFICE ACTION**

Sir:

This paper is herewith filed in response to the Examiner's Office Action mailed on August 04, 2008 for the above-captioned U.S. Patent Application. As such, appended hereto is a petition for a two month extension of time. Please charge $490.0 to deposit account no.: 50-1924 for the required fee. However, should the undersigned attorney be mistaken, please consider this a petition for any extension of time that may be required to maintain the pendency of this Patent Application, and charge deposit account no.: 50-1924 for any fee deficiency.

Please amend the application as shown on the following sheets.